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WE WILL NOT GIVE RETURNS THIS WEEK SCOTT FERRIS. LEADING BY 30 000. STRONG

CURRENT EVENTS IN OKLAHOMA

MOANS CAUSE OF FINDING

Seminole Indian Blamed For Alleged
Fight With Youth

Wewoka.—Hearing moans, Land Brock, white man, who had stopped beside the road near Wewoka, in the southern part of Seminole county, to repair a wagon, investigated in the bushes nearby and found Jack Leftridge, white boy, whose father is dead and whose mother has since married, unconscious from knife wounds in an old culvert.

The boy was brought into Kanawa and sent to a hospital at Ada where he regained consciousness. In his alleged statement he said he believed Jim Harjo, Indian, had started to take him to town to buy clothes, and while on the way had induced him to leave the road. "The Indian is alleged then to have drawn a knife, stabbing the boy in the chest.

In attempting to defend himself, the boy's hands were cut to pieces and he was wounded in other places. Jim Harjo was arrested by Bill Cross, constable from Sasakwa and brought to Wewoka where he now is in jail. Harjo is said to have had blood on his shirt and trousers when arrested. It also is alleged that he made a part confession.

YOUNG CATTLE GROWERS

It Is Now Possible to Obtain Herd for
Nothing.

Stillwater.—Fruit of emphasis placed on importance of thoroughbred stock to this state is soon to be evident in the form of a plan originated by the A. & M. Col. at Stillwater and the agricultural agents of the various counties and to be carried on by the Co-operative Livestock association. Under the new system boys will be supplied with thoroughbred stock and means provided for them to make payment in full without sacrificing the stock at the maturity of their notes.

The plan provides the boys with a registered bred cow with heifer calf at foot, the boy in exchange for this cow and calf giving his note, due in three annual payments, one-third each year, with the provision in this contract that he will care for his cow as directed by the county agricultural agent, keep up the registration papers on his calf, and breed the females to registered sires.

By means of this plan the boy will be able to pay for his original cow and calf by selling three calves which will be produced before the final maturity.

"EMPTY GUN" TEARS HOLE

Trading Weapons After Play, Is
Blamed For Death of Youth

Wewoka.—Tearing a hole through the breast of James Patterson, 12 years old, son of one of the most widely known Wewoka merchants, a charge from a shotgun in the hands of his companion, Paul Casey, 11 years old, son of W. E. Casey, county assessor, instantly killed the boy while the two were returning from a hunting trip near here.

The two boys had been playing with the guns, after taking out the cartridges, while on their way home, young Casey says, by snapping them at each other. The guns were later exchanged, after the Patterson boy had put a shell in his shotgun. The Casey boy, not realizing that the gun was loaded, again began the mimicry, and pointing the gun at his companion, pulled the trigger.

INDIAN GIRL PLANS MOVIE

Okmulgee Visitor Will Do Project
Without Whites' Aid.

Okmulgee.—Okmulgee has, among its other guests, one of the most interesting and fascinating personalities it is possible to imagine, one who bids fair to become a figure of national importance in the near future. She is Tsainina, a beautiful and accomplished Indian girl. Although Tsainina already has become famous through her mezzo-soprano voice, having sung in all the places sponsored by high musical circles throughout the country, she has now taken upon her shoulders a responsibility of almost staggering proportions. She is organizing a company composed exclusively of her people and will make a ten-reel picture showing the human side of the Indian, the side which the white man, generally speaking, has never known.

PRISONER KILLED IN FIGHT

Guard at McAlester State Pen Fires
at Negro.

McAlester.—C. L. Harkins, white prisoner under a sentence of 50 years, was stabbed and instantly killed by Charley Walker, negro convict at the state penitentiary. Johnnie Williams, guard, stationed on the lookout on the prison wall saw the two fighting in the brick plant and shot at the negro twice, but missed. The white man fell back dead, from a knife wound through the heart.

The two convicts were working with about 120 others in the penitentiary brick plant. How the negro got the knife or what the cause of the quarrel was is still a mystery to officials.

Walker was placed in solitary confinement for examination. The negro was serving a sentence for murder from Greer county. Harkins was sentenced from Nowata county.

A COTTON GROWER DRIVE

\$75,000 To Be Raised For Move To
Raise More Cotton.

Okmulgee City.—Plans for raising \$75,000 with which to wage the membership drive to be launched January 1, were laid by the finance committee of the Oklahoma Cotton Growers' association here.

It was agreed that the business men should be promised a return of their donations if the campaign for 30,000 members goes over, but should consider it a gift toward the education of cotton growers if it fails.

A county chairman and committee will be appointed in every county, and they will select the township committees. The same committees will conduct the membership drive. Organization is well under way in Grady, Comanche, Carter, Pittsburg, Okmulgee, Tulsa and Muskogee counties.

A Very Peculiar Fire.

Okmulgee City.—The roof was blown off a section of the fertilizing department at the plant of Morris and company in Pockington when the dry dust caught fire from some unknown source. The plant sustained a damage of \$2,900.

Finding Body Ends Hunt

Pauls Valley.—Finding the decomposed body of O. C. Troff in a secluded spot on the banks of Rush Creek, a mile north of Pauls Valley by B. L. Looney of Pauls Valley, ends the hunt which began June 29, after some bottles of narcotic had been found stolen from a local drug store.

Wewoka Battery Given Inspection.

Wewoka.—Capt. F. W. Bowley, U. S. army, stationed at Fort Sill arrived at Wewoka and inspected papers of officers, the armory and prospective range of Battery A, 1st Oklahoma light field artillery. The men and enlistment papers for federal recognition were inspected.

Kay Farmer Has Many Tomatoes

Ponca City.—One-third of an acre in tomatoes will yield \$1,000 to W. C. Baum, widely known farmer and livestock man of the Kaw City locality,



Scott Ferris Nominated by 30 000

McALESTER TIME.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE
corrected to May 15, 1920.
C. R. I. & P. (Rock Island)

WEST BOUND			
Daily	Starts here	Departs	
47	6:55 a. m.	6:55 a. m.	
47	6:55 a. m.	6:55 a. m.	
44	11:35 p. m.	11:35 p. m.	
43	12:10 p. m.	12:30 p. m.	
45	Motor	9 p. m.	Starts here
EAST BOUND			
Daily	Starts here	Departs	
44	2:10 p. m.	2:35 p. m.	
42	1:40 a. m.	1:55 p. m.	
48	6:10 a. m.	Stops here	6:20 a. m.
50	Motor	Starts here	
M. K. & T. (Katy)			
NORTH BOUND			
No.	Arrive	Depart	
3	12:30 a. m.	12:40 a. m.	St. L. Ltd.
23	1:50 a. m.	1:50 a. m.	K. C. Ltd.
4	8:45 a. m.	8:55 a. m.	St. L. Ltd.
1	9:55 a. m.	9:55 a. m.	Local
5	1:10 p. m.	1:10 p. m.	Flyer
9	11:30 p. m.	11:05 p. m.	Local
SOUTH BOUND			
No.	Arrive	Depart	
3	2:25 a. m.	2:35 a. m.	K. C. Ltd.
4	3:45 a. m.	3:50 a. m.	St. L. Ltd.
10	10:30 a. m.	10:30 a. m.	Local
6	2:35 p. m.	2:55 p. m.	Flyer
8	5:10 p. m.	5:10 p. m.	Local
2	9:32 p. m.	9:32 p. m.	Texas Special
Wichita Branch.			
Outbound			
	6:05 a. m.	Starts here	
	12:35 p. m.	Starts here	
Inbound			
	9:55 a. m.	Stops here	
	5:55 p. m.	Stops here	

Notice of Sale of Estray

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Pittsburg County

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the authority granted on the 5th day of Aug. 1920 by J. A. Heathcock, Justice of the Peace of Krebs Township, said County and State of Oklahoma, the undersigned will, on 21st of Aug. 1920 between the 12 Noon and 2 O'clock P. M. at the residence of Chas. White. Sell

Eight head of Poland-China hogs, about one year old each, and all being black, and having white on their feet, and weight about 150 each; also one black and white spotted, about the same age and weight, all without any marks; some of them barrows and some of them sows.

That the residence of said taker-up is on the SW quarter of Section 33, Township 6W, Range 15E; that his postoffice address is Krebs, Oklahoma; that the same was taken up on the 15th day of July, 1920.

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MANY CARS LEFT ON TRACK

Elevators Refuse to Load Older
Cars.

Oklahoma City.—C. F. Prouty, chairman of the cooperage committee appointed by Eugene P. Gum to assist in the solution of the grain car shortage problem said that at Tulsa on the Santa Fe alone sixty-five cars are lying on sidings awaiting the pleasure of the consignee for unloading. Most of these cars, Prouty said, have been on sidings at Tulsa from sixty to seventy-five days. The cars contain merchandise.

At small towns over the state, Gum said, elevators are refusing to load into cars that are not perfectly sound as the railroads will not accept liability for leakage in transit. Because of this, he said, many cars that are really available are not being used to move the wheat crop.

While railroad shops in other states are operating on a nine men, day basis to relieve the car shortage Oklahoma here was proceeding at the ordinary schedule as there are no disabled cars on hand in this district.

At Sapulpa and Springfield, Mo., an official of the Frisco said overtime work is probably necessary as there are many freight cars in these districts in need of repair.

MOVIE OWNERS ORGANIZE

Offices Will Be Opened in Oklahoma
City.

Oklahoma City.—Fifty motion picture exhibitors from all parts of the state met to perfect the organization of the Oklahoma Exhibitors association, which is being formed as a central buying organization to enable exhibitors in this section to purchase the best productions at reasonable prices.

The following officers were elected: Art S. Hamly, Paula Valley, president; M. E. Woodbridge, Altus, vice-president and H. B. Hall, Oklahoma City, secretary and treasurer.

Col. E. T. Peters, of Dallas, treasurer of the Motion Picture Exhibitors Association of America made an address in which he outlined the plan of organization and explained its benefits. He also made a report on the national exhibitors convention which was held at Cleveland, O., recently.

The newly formed association will open an office somewhere in Oklahoma City at an early date, through which its business will be handled.

M. E. Woodbridge, of Altus, temporary chairman of the association, presided at the meeting. The following were elected directors: Art Hamly, Paula Valley; George A. Pollard, Guthrie; A. L. Darry, El Reno; L. N. Cox, Ardmore, and Frank Miller, Duncan.

Muskogee Has Surplus

Muskogee.—Surpluses of \$57,000 in three general funds, \$37,000 in sinking fund and an added re-appropriation of \$52,000 are shown in the annual report of the county's finances made by L. F. Klipp, county clerk. The same levy next year of 8 mills will provide for county expenses and the 20-mile hard-surfaced road program, according to county officials. Fees ran about \$18,000 above estimates for the year ending June 30.

Muskogee Man Overcome by Heat.

Muskogee.—J. W. Mawk, fireman on the Katy railroad, was the first person to be overcome by the heat here this summer. He was inexperienced at the job and was on a particularly heavy engine when he succumbed to the heat and had to be removed to a hospital, it is said.

Braman Store Looted.

Newkirk.—Two thousand dollars worth of goods was stolen from the Braman general merchandise store. The thieves broke in at the back door by prying off a lock. No clue has been found.